

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re:

Applicant: aWENGEN, D., et al

Serial No.: 10/586,718

For: AUDITORY OSSICLE PROSTHESIS...

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

March 28, 2007

Commissioner for Patents
P O Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Preliminarily to the issuance of an Office Action in the above identified application, please amend the same as follows: